



Two Michigan-born men, Arthur J. Vandenberg and Thomas E. Dewey, have leading roles in the present American foreign policy of economic aid to Western Europe.

Any discussion of the current food-saving program, as it concerns Michigan, needs to put in the fact that food is a vital part of American foreign policy and this policy is bi-partisan. We accept this fact as premise No. 2. (Premise No. 1, stated last week, Western Europe has a shortage of food.)

It will not suffice to blame the "Administration" at Washington for the fact that we, as a nation, are pledged to defense all freedom-loving people against the threat of an aggressor.

Let's look at the record.

Michigan-born Thomas E. Dewey, 1944 presidential nominee, accepted today as the titular head of the national Republican party.

On Nov. 5, Mr. Dewey took credit for inaugurating during the summer of 1944 the nation's present bi-partisan foreign policy. We would prefer to defend freedom through the United Nations, but we are ready to do it by ourselves if necessary. That is why a Republican congress voted aid to Greece and Turkey.

"It has been well said that we are in a cold war," said Dewey. "We are in it for the simple reason we are being attacked by all means short of war. The attack is by the most violent form of propaganda, falsehood, political penetration and economic sabotage."

"The whole system of political and economic freedom for which our country stands is under attack by those who would establish a world-wide rule of a police state."

Dewey sees a "gastly picture" as an alternative of sending further aid to Western Europe. If Western Europe and Asia were to be over-run by Communists, "we should find more than a billion people in an armed camp under the control of an aggressive dictatorship arrayed against us."

"In terms of dollars, such a condition would cost us in national defense alone, a great deal more than any program of aid to Europe, and it would cost us that

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## Grayling Legion Post Again To Present Santa To Kiddies

### December 22 Set As Party Date

The annual American Legion Kiddies Party will take place at the American Legion Hall on Monday afternoon, December 22nd. This party is for all children 3 and 4 years old and the kindergarten, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades in all of Crawford County. Three and four year olds may be accompanied by a parent when necessary.

Due to the limited size of the Legion dining room the children will be divided into four groups to be as follows:

At 1 P. M.—3 and 4 years olds from the City of Grayling and Kindergarten pupils from the City of Grayling.

At 2:15 P. M.—1st, 2nd and 3rd grade pupils from the City of Grayling.

At 3:30 P. M.—All 3 and 4 year old and kindergarten, through and including the 5th grade pupils from Crawford County outside the City of Grayling.

At 4:30 P. M.—4th and 5th grade pupils from the City of Grayling.

The Legion will be assisted by the Legion Auxiliary, who will prepare the gift packages and be in charge of the kitchen. The Legion committee in charge are as follows: C. B. Johnson, chairman; Alfred Hanson, secretary and treasurer; James Post, contributions; Clement Blaine, Dr. J. F. Cook, Robert Neafie, John Beckrow, Thelma Hubbel, George Morrison and George Quinn, Post Commander.

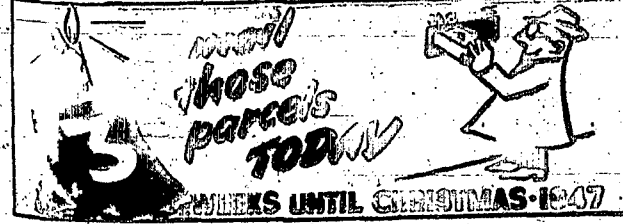
The party is financed by the

## Camp Warehouse To Be Built

Actual construction work will begin Monday at Camp Grayling on a warehouse to replace the building lost by fire sometime ago.

Fred W. Coverdill of Indianapolis, Indiana, construction superintendent for Spence Brothers, who were awarded the building contract, is now in Grayling ready to put a crew at work.

He has located a place for his family and they will be here until the building is completed which is expected to be sometime next spring.



# Firemen Play Basketball Friday

## As an added attraction to the Keggers-St. Bernard Alumni game Friday night in benefit of Neal Matthews, Grayling fireman and World War I veteran, the Grayling Firemen are going to put a team on the floor to match skill in the game against the Grayling Legion squad led by Ross Thompson.

The double-header cage game proceeds, minus only needed expenses, will go entirely to Neal, who is now a patient in the Veterans Hospital at Pontiac.

The crowd should certainly see what they most desire in basketball as the first game will bring to the floor many oldsters who haven't played a ball in a long time while the nightcap should be a dingdong ball game as St. Bernard's are said to have a strong outfit. This year's Keggers squad has, so far this season, showed as good if not better form than last year.

The exhibition game last week Wednesday night against the All-American Redheads brought out a sizable crowd who witnessed the Legion lose the first battle against the girls by a 16 to 11 count, while the Keggers downed the ball handling girls by a basket on a 24 to 22 score. Being gentlemen neither Grayling team fast broke on the girls making a better game of it. The eight Redheads were, without question, fine shots, ball handlers and floor artists, for girls—that is. But either Grayling team could have handily defeated them if they were to turn on the heat.

Future date has been set with the two Kalkaska teams and they will be here on December 10 led by Ed Chalker, former Grayling Green Wave star. On December 4, the teams are appearing at Houghton Lake.

## GRANGE NOTES

There will be a bazaar held by the Grangers at the hall, December 13, beginning at 2 P. M. There will be farm produce, bake goods, hand made gifts, while elephant and silver tea. Anyone bringing donations please have them at the hall by noon.

Grangers don't forget the party for you and your friends, Saturday evening, December 6.

## Woman's Club

The Woman's Club held its third meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. John Brady with 30 members present.

After the regular business and reports of committees, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Van Smith, who gave a very interesting report on Hartwick Pines. In conclusion she read a letter from the former Mrs. Hartwick, which was of great interest to those who knew her.

Mrs. George Leitz won the Chinese auction, Mrs. Wm. Nawatny having donated the prize. The next meeting will be December 15 at the school and will be a Christmas party. Each member will be accompanied by a child.

## Portrait Studio Opened Here

Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Brugman opened their portrait studio for business at 308 Cedar Street on Monday, December 1.

They will do portrait and commercial photography work of all types. The Brugmans came to Grayling from Farmington, where they had worked in this type of business for sometime. Both attended the Detroit School of Photography and Mrs. Brugman, better known as Norma Jean, also studied retouching of photos under the head retoucher of the Craine Studios and oil coloring from an artist at Tiffany's.

The Brugmans have one child, Eddie Jr., 18 months of age. Another connection that they had with Grayling long before they moved here was Mr. Brugman's army experience. He and County Clerk Jim Post served in the same outfit during the war. It's a small world.

# SNIDER WINS CANOE RACE ESSAY CONTEST

## Stone, Pochelon And Harris Also on List

Winners of the Michigan Canoe Championship essay contest sponsored by Harold "Spike" MacNeven, were named this week. Although the winners were to have been selected November 11, several unavoidable delays held the selection up until this Monday.

Jack Snyder of Grand Rapids was elected as first prize winner with Bob Stone of Traverse City as second and Albert Pochelon, Jr., of Detroit and Lovells, third, with Dean Harris of Clio as fourth prize winner.

The judges for the contest, in which prizes of \$25, \$15, \$10 and \$5 were awarded, were: Arthur Juntunen, Detroit; Free Press Travel Editor; Leslie A. Wahl, Saginaw News Assistant Sports Editor; Fred Bear and Charles Piper of the Bear Archery Company of Grayling.

Named as outstanding besides the prize winners was: William McCulloch of Detroit. Snider received three first votes out of four, Stone received 2 second spot votes while Pochelon was named to third via 2 third spot slips. Harris received fourth by two judges nod.

Following is the prize winning essay penned by Jack Snyder of Grand Rapids:

Dear Spike:

You'd never believe it, but my partner and I finished seventh place in the Michigan Annual Canoe Race. I will never forget the race.

Starting at Grayling in north-eastern Michigan, early last September. The starting gun was fired at two o'clock on Saturday and ended later the following day 240 miles later in Escoda, a small town at the junction of where the Au Sable River flows into Lake Huron. The starting place was the well known Ray's Canoe Livery, on the East side of the highway bridge as one enters Grayling from the South.

While we contestants were waiting for the race to start, we checked for our food and equipment the last time. For food we had light rations of milk chocolate, malted milk tablets, and a sandwich apiece, to drink we had two canteens. Our clothes consisted merely of sneakers, cotton pants, and a sweat shirt for night when it got cooler. We also checked whether our extra paddles were lashed securely inside, and that everything was tied down in the canoe in case of tipping over.

I must confess that I felt a little nervous before the race, but when the starting gun had blown and the first canoe started down the river, the butterflies left my stomach. We had previously drawn lots for starting position. We had drawn 44th. The canoes were pulling out rather swiftly, following them in a barrage of good luck calls and cheers from the mob of spectators. Soon it was our turn to start. Picking up the canoe and wading out in the river to our ankles, we laid the canoe down gently to keep from rubbing the bottom. Chuck and I were a little more careful than usual as we hadn't had a chance to test our canoe for its navigability. We didn't want to take a good canoe down the river on the chance that we might wreck it, so had fixed up and old one the day before the race. You can well imagine our anxiety. Fortunately, the canoe didn't ship any water. After shaking the excess water off our feet, we proceeded to the starting dock and upon the word, shoved off, and the race for us was on.

The river being rather narrow for the first lap of the journey made it necessary to be very careful not to get snagged, and thus end our chances of finishing the race. From previous experience I learned that you can get more efficiency by paddling in rhythm and having the most weight in the front while paddling downstream. By each person sweeping with his paddle at the same instant you are working together. This increases your efficiency almost a third. I being the lightest sat in the back, while Chuck sat his 185 well-distributed pounds in front. This gave the rear of the canoe more surface to hit the current while going downstream. Another attraction of this method is that on cutting curves, you eliminate much skidding by keeping the rear, or stern, of your canoe higher, thus eliminating the surface drag of your broadside current.

Up to now we had been approaching a few canoes who were taking a rather leisurely start, most likely thinking that the race was going to be dragged out a lot more than it eventually was. This fact was further proven to me when we put on a short burst of speed to pass a stubborn canoe. I heard the remark "They'll never keep that speed up!"—the remark being made to a crowd of onlookers seated along the bank.

We were paddling stripped down to the waist due to the hot day and really felt good as the day was perfect; the trees leaning over the water, very few insects to bother us, birds singing, further led to the enchantment. However, I knew that the finish was going to be a little less glamorous after paddling all night. By the first two hours, we had passed twenty canoes and still felt as fresh as when we started. This, I believe

was due to our good rhythm and ability to paddle together, which is a good requisite for anybody to have to be able to paddle with your partner.

Occasionally we ran across a canoeist who had come to grief on some sharp rock or other obstacle that ripped a hole in the canvas of their canoe. This just made us more alert to our surroundings as the river had many snags in it that could spoil the race for the unwary.

Let me emphasize a wise precaution to save a bitter experience, pay attention to the area that your canoe is going through, noticing obstacles so as to avoid unnecessary delay due to a rip in the canvas. Another pre-requisite for any canoe trip is taking another paddle along, for a broken canoe paddle is a common occurrence, as they get weakened from use and become water soaked. We passed many canoes between the start of the race and dusk, although I am of the opinion they weren't planning on such a pace being kept up by the leaders. We weren't either, but we didn't want to go too far behind in case they did hold out. It was starting to get dusk now, and we stopped for a moment to take some salt tablets to replenish our supply, as we had sweat a great deal toward the last of the day. My army experience had taught me the importance of this, and it held us in good stead, as many of the canoeists seemed to slow down after night, which could have been due to their sweating out a lot of salt and not being able to replace it.

While paddling down the river we had passed a lot of checkers, officials, who took our number and gave us some helpful information as how far the next dam was and the time between us and the lead canoe. Some other persons who weren't checkers took our number either for their personal reference or relaying it on. It occurred to Chuck and me that then a few individuals were relaying this information to friends in the leading canoes, as they jumped into a car and drove off immediately. As we had no way of knowing who was a checker and who wasn't, I believe that there should be some way of identifying them without disclosing your position.

We arrived at the first backwater (Mio Pond) early that evening and promptly took one wrong turn. Because the backwaters are filled with stumps and log jams, one must pick his way through, difficult at night, even with a flashlight. That experience showed us that a thorough knowledge of the water to be covered at night is necessary in order to save time from wandering off our course, as we and many others did. When we finally did hit the main pond, we started to pick up our rhythm and really skimmed across the pond to the dam, a few short miles away. When we reached it we learned a rather humorous experience about a marathon. From the start of the race till now, we had paddled in the kneeling position, a distance of about eighty miles. This was due to our being able to shift our weight from side to side easily, and get more power, and sweep with our stroke.

We picked up the front and together pulled the canoe up the parapet of the dam, giving our number to the checker. We promptly started to hoist the canoe to our shoulders as accustomed to. What a laugh that was, our legs gave away—having been in a cramped position too long, and we went down to our knees, Chuck nearly falling over the side of the dam. In fact I thought he had, till he tapped me on the shoulder from behind. By much pulling and I fear a little dragging, we finally got to the other side of the dam. By that time, three canoes had portaged past us while we were trying to carry our canoe to the river's edge across the dam. Once in the water, however, we showed a revival of spirits and took off down the river, not after the ground we had lost.

While on the way down, we had stopped for a minute to have some chocolate, as we were a little hungry. I also rubbed my shoulder with liniment as it had a little catch in it from an old injury. The food combined with a renewed shoulder, made me feel a little better, though I felt rather tired. The night being balmy and warm at first still found us without our shirts on, as we felt we could paddle better without them. By using the moon which was out for the first part of the night, we followed the river reflections on the current for traveling downstream, and had rather good luck as we only misjudged one sandbar, which we were soon free of. Catching up with about three canoes, remembering our mistake on the previous dam, for a few miles before reaching the dam, we had our legs outstretched, thus relaxing them. The minute we hit shore we leaped out and trotted around to the other side, picking up a little time, for a change. We then pulled another "boner" which seemed to be characteristic of our trip. Putting in the canoe from rather high parapet, we each thought the other had a hold of the canoe and you guessed it—down stream it went. This was a time for action, so I did a flat dive and reached the canoe in a few strokes and swam slowly back to the land.

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# Announcement

## We are pleased to advise our patrons that new deluxe theatre chairs are to be installed for your comfort. This necessitates closing from Monday, December 15 to Christmas Day Matinee, Thursday, December 25.

The Management, Rialto Theater, Grayling, Michigan.

## Deer Harvest Appears Higher

Nonresident deer hunters had left the north woods to a few local hunters on Thanksgiving day, but even with the early breakup of the camps, the deer "harvest" appeared comparable to last year's in conservation department records.

When only a few days of the season were left, permits to take deer through Wisconsin totaled 1,064 compared with 786 on the same date a year ago; Drummond Island's deer yield was 500, compared with 452 to the same date last year; and 8,955 deer were brought across the Straits, compared with 8,657 to the same day in 1946.

Bears alone showed a decided decrease in conservation department tallies. In spite of the increase in bear numbers indicated by summer and fall bear damage complaints, only 152 were recorded at the Straits this year compared with 234 in the same period a year ago.

One technical explanation holds that not weather, but the bears' feeding and body fat determine the date of hibernation. Some hunters, noting the heavy kill in the mild season of '46 and the lighter kill in the cold season of season of '47, are sticking to the idea that weather does drive bears into their winter hideouts.

Some idea of archery success in hunting deer this season may be learned at the annual banquet of Michigan Bow Hunters at Allegan December 6, when the big game awards will be made to those who brought home the venison. Opening of 17 northern counties to "one deer" archery shooting scattered the bowmen across the state this season and so reduced hunting pressure here that the Allegan County kill is less than half the 58 deer total of last season.

## LOTS OF MEAT

Following is a list of those who got their deer as per the list of those stored at Burrows Market.

Park M. Parker, Muskegon; Leo Miez, Mayville; Jack Cooper, Lexington; Arthur Pluff, South Rockwood; G. A. Forbes and Bernard Lisowski, Detroit; Jerry Field, Ernest Hayes and C. Bruliet, Lansing; Ed Shank, Grand Rapids; Othel Misenholder, Itasca; Owen Frost, Kalamazoo; Ralph Knight, Bay City; Mervin Strickel and Foster Compton, Flint; Ed Tiefer, River Rouge; Art May, Montague; Stanley Bell, Dexter; and C. H. McClain, Spaulding, Ohio. Bob Crosby of Fairgrove got a bear which dressed 215 lbs., as well as a deer and Fr. Francis Branigan's bear weighed 162 pounds dressed.

Mr. Burrows and Mr. LaGrow report that the average weight of the deer was 135 pounds or heavier. Most all of the deer had racks. There were very few spike horns. And so ended another deer hunting season.

## Kiwanis Club Notes

Plans were set in motion for the club's annual Christmas party at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling held at the Michelson Memorial Church, Monday night.

Each club member will donate a toy or toy as well as help along a fund to buy clothing for underprivileged children. The articles will be tagged with an appropriate Christmas greeting and will be delivered Christmas Eve to Santa in a horse and sleigh complete with jingle bells. Over \$50 has already been contributed towards the clothing fund.

Guests at the club at the meeting included City Manager Max Davenport, L. N. Jones, Robert Dodge and Mr. Webb of the Parks Division of the State Conservation Department and Holger Peterson, Grayling Winter Sports Park Manager. All of the last four named men spoke concerning winter sports and the Grayling Park.

## CALVARY CHURCH NEWS

The young people of Calvary Baptist Church are taking a trip to Skeels on Friday, December 5, to attend a conference of the Au Sable Bible Camp.

Last Sunday the young people of the church met at 6:45. Sue Borchers brought the question in the Bible quiz and Phyllis Fairbotham the message.

Next Sunday our meeting will be about Christmas and Christ's birth. All are welcome to come to our meeting.

Phyllis Fairbotham, Lou Ann McEvers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dunham and friend, Marjorie Kemp of Lansing were guests for the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dunham and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Roberts.

# Wave Faces Blue Devils At Gaylord Friday Night

## Look Good Losing To Rayder Five

The Green and White of Grayling will take the floor in Gaylord Friday night to face the Blue and Gold of their arch-rivals, the Blue Devils of Gaylord.

Gaylord with a one basket victory over Mancelona in their season's opener is gunning for victory number two while the Green Wave has yet to taste the sweets of a win as they were badly thumped by last year's conference champs, the Charlevoix Rayders here last Friday night. An almost overflow crowd watched 6 foot, 5 inch Bob Carey lead the Rayders to their victory and may have seen this year's Class C champions of the state without knowing it.

Grayling, however, looked very good in losing and with a little floor experience the Wave five may make themselves felt in conference circles this year. The starting five of Dick Miller and Chuck Feldhauser at forwards, Jim Feldhauser at center and Dick Bielski and Clare Burns at guards, turned in a fine performance against the overwhelming Rayders. Max Niederer, who was sent in to replace Burns turned in an outstanding job for his first big varsity game while Dick Owens, Bob Rasmussen and Jack Trudeau who were in the fray later as replacement showed varsity spirit and ability.

Grayling's next home appearance is scheduled for next Tuesday, December 9 when the Roscommon Bucks, the Wave's other long time rival, will take the floor here. On December 12, Friday evening, the Wave plays host to the Ironmen of Mancelona, who lost to the Gaylord Blue Devils in their initial appearance this year. Mancy meets Harbor Springs this Friday and Kalkaska next Tuesday. The results of these two games will give a little more insight as to the potentiality of the Mancy crew.

Bob Carey Bellcowed the winners Friday with 9 field goals and a foul shot for a total of 19 points, his brother, Bill, added 9 and Hardy 8 points to the total. Chuck Feldhauser and Dick Miller led the losers with 5 points each with Bielski and Niederer adding 4. Jim Feldhauser added 3 and Clare Burns a field goal to complete the scoring.

The Wavelets were thoroughly drubbed by the Charlevoix reserves as the count reached 44 to 12. Fairbanks led the victors with 14 points while Axel Peterson counted 5 for the losers and Krage added 4. Coach Cornell has some good looking kids on the reserve squad but they were completely outclassed by the Rayder seconds who are a rangy outfit.

## Break In Two Garages

Two breaking and entering cases hit Grayling over last week and as both Hanson's Chevrolet Sales and Service and McEvers Buick Sales and Service were victims.

In both cases entry was gained by smashing out a rear window glass and then opening the window. Hanson's garage was short \$87 following a check made after the break-in was noted. A complete check of McEvers failed to reveal anything missing whatsoever. Both entries occurred either late Saturday night or early Sunday morning.

## FINAL RITES READ FOR MRS. ANDREW BROWN

Funeral services were held at the Michelson Memorial Church, Monday at 2 P. M. for Mrs. Andrew Brown, who passed away at 3 A. M. Friday. Her death followed a sudden stroke early Tuesday evening at the home of her son, Carlyle, at Camp Grayling.

Rebecca Lambert was born May 27, 1872, at Gidney Hills, Lincolnshire, England. At the age of 11, she, with her parents, Isaac and Rebecca Lambert, left England and settled in Woodstock, Ontario, Canada. From Canada they moved to Lapeer County, where they continued to make their home. At the age of 24, she was united in marriage to Andrew Brown and moved to Frederic, where they made their home until coming to Grayling in 1917.

Although ailing in health for some time, her death came as a shock to her many friends in this community and in Frederic.

Mrs. Brown will long be remembered for her continuous activities in the Rebeccas, Ladies Aid, Sunday School, church choir, and many other social organizations, during her active years, and will be remembered by a great many of the citizens of Grayling as their first Sunday school teacher.

Surviving relatives are sons, Ray of Detroit, and Carlyle of Grayling; grandchildren, Alan Robert of U. S. Navy, Yvonne and Marlene Wurtzburg of Bay City, and Andrea of Grayling. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1935, her only daughter, Kathryn, in 1938, and her oldest son, John, in 1939. Her remaining sisters are Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds of Flint, and Mrs. Naomi Monahan of Flint, and Mrs. Alice Rooke of Columbusville.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Kuhlman of Gaytown, an old family friend.

Mrs. Brown will be sorely missed by all who knew her and loved her. In her active years she contributed much to the worthwhile organizations in Grayling.

## Speak Vows At Home Ceremony

At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephan, Miss Ernestine Stephan became the bride of Jack Arthur Church, son of Mrs. Grayce Coal of Detroit and Calvin Church of Grayling on Saturday, November 29 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. R. C. Puffer.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, wore a blue metallic crepe dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink and white roses.

As her sister's attendant, Mrs. Edward Lowrie of Mt. Pleasant was attired in a blue wool ensemble, navy accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Gerald Burns acted as best man. Mrs. Stephan chose a blue peacock crepe dress and black accessories for her daughter's wedding and wore a corsage of pink and white baby mums.

## TO START ORCHESTRA

Mrs. C. G. Clippert and Mrs. Emil Niederer are planning on starting a Sunday school orchestra at Michelson Memorial Church.

Any young people who are interested please call Mrs. Niederer at 3141.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson was the lucky one to be awarded a turkey by the Women's Bowling League.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Olson spent a couple of days in Bay City the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh spent the week end in Alpena as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl H. Miller. Mrs. Welsh's grandmother, Mrs. Flora Morton accompanied them home for a two week visit.

## WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

American Legion Auxiliary 8:00 P. M. Legion Hall. 2nd Tuesday, business; 4th Tuesday, social.

Dec. 4—D. A. V. meeting, Legion Hall, 8 P. M.

Ladies Aid, M. M. Church, Friday, 1 P. M., potluck.

Dec. 8—P. T. A. regular meeting, December 10—3 to 7 P. M. Danish Coffee Table. Danabod Hall.

Dec. 11—Regular meeting of Grayling Rebecka Lodge No. 352. Christmas party and exchange of gifts.



## WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

For Rent  
Lost or Found  
For Sale  
Wanted to Buy  
Miscellaneous

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

WRITE or call Clinton Typewriter Service for "Rebuilding - Repairing - Cleaning" Typewriters - Adding Machines - Calculators - Comptometers - Mimeographs - Cash Registers. Phone 878. 315 Vine Street, Traverse City.

FOR SALE—New, modern home, picture window, hardwood floors, oil furnace, ready for occupancy. \$7,200. Opposite Park, on Michigan. Open for inspection. Call 2561. Aug. 21 tf

FOR SALE—Packaged Bond paper—45c. Everyday Cards—\$1 per box. Pictured Note Paper—50c. At the Avalanche Office.

FOR SALE—1941 Chevrolet heavy duty dump truck, new motor, 2 speed rear axle; 1940 Chevrolet flat rack truck, new motor and new tires. Melvin Marshall, 405 McClellan St., City. Aug. 14 tf

WANTED—Good used cars. Pay top dollar. Burgess Motor Sales—next to Hayes Oil Co., on US-27. 6-26-tf

PAPER TABLE CLOTHING—\$3.00 for 300-ft. roll. Avalanche Office. tf

HANDSAW FILING—Any kind, also knives, axes, draw knives, planes, shears, chisels or anything you have to sharpen. Ed Bowen, 704 Ionia. Phone 4341. 7-24 tf

FOR SALE—Cinder blocks. Immediate delivery. Build with these light weight, fireproof, insulated units. Paints beautifully. Real "economical" construction. Permanent beauty. Also cement blocks. Rogers City Cement Products, Rogers City. Phone 63. Sept. 18 tf

WANTED—House wiring work. For estimates call Kalkaska 3484 or write Paul Dunlap, Kalkaska. Oct. 2 tf

FREE—Pair of deerskin gloves made in trade for every deer skin shipped us. Wm. Gallagher Co., Taxidermists, Dept. "B" Fenton, Mich. 4-11-18

FOR SALE—Four large lots. Opposite ball park. See Glen Day. Phone 2561. Oct. 30 tf

## LOZON'S GENERAL STORE

Frederic, Mich.

## EVERY DAY PRICES

Beef Roasts, Chuck, per lb.	38c
Round or Sirloin Steak, per lb.	45c
T-Bone Steak, per lb.	49c
Standing Rib, Boneless and Rolled, per lb.	49c
Picnic Hams, per lb.	52c
Pure Ground Beef, per lb.	27c
Stew Beef, per lb.	27c

A Complete Line of Groceries  
Fresh and Frozen Fruits  
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## A ONE STOP STORE

Through permission of the City Council, there will be a house to house garbage pickup service started December 1.

Garbage will be picked up once a week. Charge 25c per week, \$1.00 per month, payable the 15th of each month.

PLACE APPLICATIONS AT CITY OFFICE

H. DARLING

Phone Kalkaska 2701

FOR SALE—Northern Spies, \$1 to \$3.50 per bushel. Next delivery in Grayling about Dec. 15. King's Orchards, Houghton Lake. 20-27-4-11

FOR SALE—Fine kiln dried hardwood kindling. Large load \$4. Stephan Wood Products. Phone 3657. 20-27-4-11

CHRISTMAS CARDS, several kinds. \$1 per box. Also board stationery \$1 per box. Avalanche. tf

STRAYED—To our place at Lake Margrethe, a hound. Owner may have by identifying and paying for board and advertisement. A. J. Trudeau, McIntyre's Landing. 4-11

CANARIES—Parakeets and Finches. For Christmas give the family or friends a bird. Write Box 196 and I will deliver. All birds guaranteed. Mrs. Tony Trudeau, Grayling, Michigan. 4-11

FOR SALE—Ladies black wool sport coat, size 44, like new; new built up brown pumps, size 6½; man's brown 2 pant suit, size 39, black overcoat, size 40. Also female English Setter and four male pups. E. Greenwell, M-72, across from Bear Archery. 4-11

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Bay mare, 9 years old. George Chole, Beaver Creek, next to Love School. 4

FURNITURE FOR SALE—Portable Philco radio, 50 lb. metal ice box, 50 ft. garden hose, other odds and ends. George Wilson, Lovell, 2nd house back Patrick Hotel. 4-11-18

FOR SALE—Laying hens, \$1 each. 19½ miles north of Grayling, on US-27. Also Kalamazoo cook range, burns coal or wood. Mrs. H. Farlinger, Gaylord, Mich. 4-11-18

FOR RENT—2 bedrooms cottage, furnished, fuel included. Children welcome. Near Beaver Creek Town Hall. John McCallum, Route 1, Roscommon. 4-11

BOARD AND ROOM—For 2. Near Beaver Creek Town Hall. John McCallum, Route 1, Roscommon. 4-11

LARGE TWO ROOM CABIN for rent. Next to hospital. See Mrs. John Ward. Ph. 3031. 4

FOR SALE—37 Dodge, radio and heater. G. Melichar, 603 Michigan. 4

FOR SALE—Boys ice skates, size 6. Call 2881. 4

FOR SALE—Dining room suite, kitchen cabinet, kerosene oil hot water heater, Maytag washer. Mrs. Hal, 105 Villa. 4

WANTED—Baby cutter. Phone 2547. 4

WANTED—Christmas trees, mostly spruce. Will buy swamp if desired or cut. Write giving kind, quality, acres in swamp (and if cut before) and amount wanted. Kelly Moore, Tustin, Mich. 20-27-4

WANTED—Bulldozer work. Jack Millikin. Phone 3771. Aug. 14 tf

## Lovells Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore returned to their home in Hazel Park after spending a good share of their summer and fall months at their lovely summer home on Guthrie Lake.

Margaret Husted spent the past week with her sisters in Lovells, returning to her home in West Branch, Monday.

The Don Lebellers of West Branch spent the week end at their cabin.

The J. E. Kelloggs had a number of members of their family with them during deer season.

The Lewis Sullivan family enjoyed Thanksgiving Day with their parents in Lovells.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lynch and the latter's mother, Mrs. Munson, returned to their home in Detroit, Sunday. They spent the two weeks deer hunting season in Lovells.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winston and children of Midland were guests of the latter's parents, the Wm. Spauldings for over the week end.

The dances at Lovells Town Hall will discontinue for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kurchenko and daughter, Joan, left Monday for their home in Hazel Park.

Every one is invited to attend Sunday School each Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at school house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Neuman left for West Virginia last week, where they will make their home. Neither of them were in good health and their many friends hope the change in climate may be a big improvement to their health and all wish them to return.

Pat Harwood assisted at the Cold Grocery during deer season.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gilbert and family, also Mrs. Gilbert's mother spent the hunting season at their hunting camp.

The James Stookes family of Rochester, Michigan, are staying temporarily in the Gilbert cottage until their own place is made

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ready. We welcome these newcomers.

## Frederic News

Mrs. Esther Downer of Pontiac spent Thanksgiving and the week end with her parents, the C. S. Barbers.

The Arvie Coxes have gone to Detroit for the winter, where he is working.

Rose Ann, the 13 months old daughter, and her small brother, Lyle, children of the John Armstrongs, are in Mercy Hospital, Grayling.

The dance Saturday night at Town Hall was well attended. It was sponsored by the Auxiliary of Sportsman's Club.

Phillip James, son of the George Lodges is improving. He has been sick for quite a while.

Mrs. Charles Madill entertained her brother over the week end.

Visitors at the Chas. Post home for the holidays were their sons, Jack and George Post and their friend Ted Allen, all of Lansing.

Leo Post left last Thursday to enter the Veteran's Hospital at Detroit for treatment for asthma.

Frank Madill was home from Mt. Pleasant to spend the holidays with his parents.

## Beaver Creek

A sly red fox who stole milk from her porch a while ago, did not prove sly enough for Mrs. Robert Nelson (Florence Wolf) and her trusty rifle. She shot the large fox and collected the bounty, from the state.

Thanksgiving week end guests of the Dibble's of Whisper, Mich. es

included Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, parents of Mrs. C. Dibble, also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dibble, son of the C. J. Dibles of Adrian, Mich.

Ben Garland was lucky enough to get his buck in his own back yard on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster and small grandson returned to Detroit Sunday, after spending 3 weeks at their cabin.

Mr. Stern of Detroit has not followed through with his deal to purchase the Ott property.

John Peps got his buck first thing opening day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Green and family spent Thanksgiving Day in their cabin.

Leonard Ellis has left to spend

some time with his brother, Bob, at Midland, Mich.

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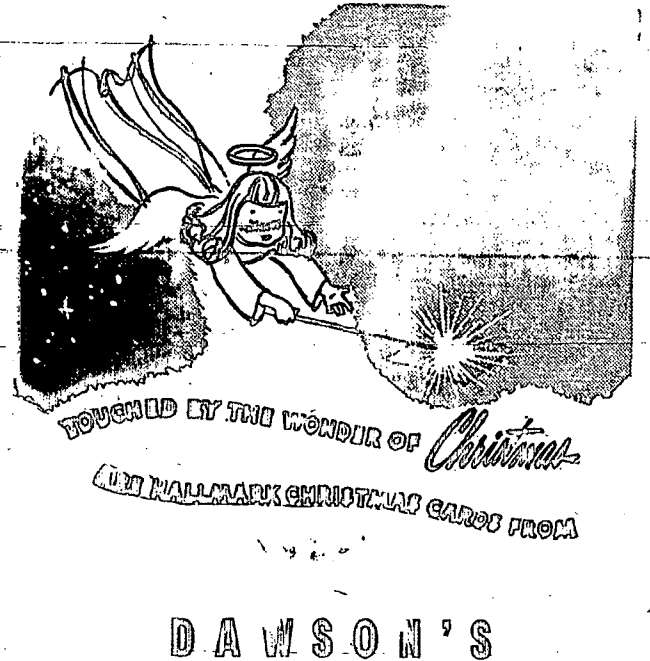
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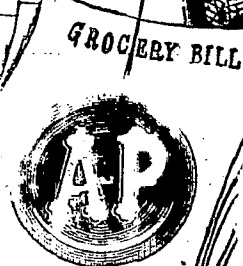
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**Second Class Patients!**

The beauties of compulsory health insurance were recently illustrated in a large western city which has that kind of a system in effect for municipal employees.

The director of the system sent a letter to all doctors associated with it, pleading that it is in financial difficulties, and making three remarkable requests.

First, he asked that doctors restrict the use of laboratory tests, X-Ray examinations and normal diagnostic procedures, and substitute "routine examinations" for careful, scientific diagnoses.

Second, he asked that they discourage patients with "minor ailments" from seeking professional medical treatment, and advise them to use home remedies.

Third, he ordered that hospitalization be denied to system members except in the most critical cases, and except on specific authorization by himself.

The executive committee of the local county medical society answered this by observing that "neither your doctor nor any reputable doctor can in clear conscience agree to a demand that city employees be denied medical care and that they be treated as 'second class patients'." That answer covers the ground completely. The logical results of any other policy would be what has happened under socialized medicine in England, where overworked doctors must deal with excessive numbers of patients and only the few can be given really individual attention and diagnosis.

Compulsory health insurance on a national scale would be a reflection of the condition in the western city multiplied a thousand times. When politics takes over medicine, the standards of medical care inevitably go down.

**THE AMERICAN WAY****Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago**

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

December 4, 1924

Leasing Value of confiscated automobiles and firearms, taken at the Straits of Mackinaw by state game wardens during the deer season will run very close to \$20,000. This booty will probably be sold at public auction following court condemnations. The confiscated goods belong to deer hunters who were trying to smuggle deer across the Straits. One bus, worth \$3,000, was seized in which there were many deer and partidge.

The state will make an effort to keep M-14 open as far as Harrison this winter. A fleet of snow plows and tractors will be used in fighting snow this winter.

Gov. Groesbeck is considering the feasibility of having the Conservation Department use two or four airplanes in forest fire prevention next year. A fleet of 4 ships, to cost \$1,500 each and operating expenses in all respects, would mean but an expenditure of \$18,500 per year, advocates say.

Michigan's newest state park is located on the south shore of Higgins Lake. The State Conservation Commission at its meeting Tuesday, November 25, adopted for improvement the state's holdings in Sylvan Beach.

Archie Cripps left last week for Muskogee, Oklahoma, to visit his brother, Glen.

Miss Ruth Lovely left Wednesday for Wyandotte, where she will

be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fisher of Grand Rapids spent Thanksgiving with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Grover, at Riverview. They also visited the former's sister, Mrs. Carl Sorenson and family in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber, Sr., of Sigbee, have been enjoying a visit for the past couple of weeks from Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Van Natter and son, Leo, of Cadillac. Thanksgiving they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Serven and Wm. Christenson and family of Grayling.

Miss Vella Hermann, who is teaching in the public schools in Port Huron, arrived Thanksgiving to spend the remainder of the week visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Hermann and family. Mrs. Ollie McLeod accompanied her as far as Bay City on her return, Saturday night.

R. S. Babbitt is driving a new Ford sedan.

Mrs. Alonzo Collins and daughter, Maxine, visited Miss Beulah Colleen in Detroit over Thanksgiving.

J. E. Fletcher is driving a new Studebaker roadster.

Dolph San Cartier and family are enjoying a new Overland Champion.

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Charles Ostrander and daughters, Eva and Ethel, of Alpena visited Mrs. Perry Ostrander and other relatives here Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Madison and children of Kenneth and Miss Marie Debraun of Cheboygan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Debraun over Thanksgiving.

Eino Huhtala of Detroit arrived last week and is visiting at the home of A. E. Hendrickson.

A son, weighing 94 pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Conway on Thanksgiving day. He has been named Donald.

**Maple Forest**

(Too late for last week)  
The young people of the community met and organized a club with the following officers: President, Bob Feldt; vice president, B. B. Babbitt; secretary,

Bruce Babbitt, and treasurer, Shirley Babbitt. The second meeting was held Tuesday night to make plans for a pie social and dance.

Among the lucky hunters were Jim Verlinde, Roy Papenfus, Chet Lozon and Arthur Howse.

Bessie and Dora Feldhauser have returned home after spending some time helping out down river at Henderson's camp.

Martha Peterson has been help-

ing out at the Hinkle Restaurant during deer season.

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Cartoon

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World News

**"The Egg and I"**

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Tue. Wed. Thurs.

LAST FEATURE STARTS 10:00 P. M.

Comedy

Novelty

Cartoon

Program Subject To Change



### Sell First Christmas Seals in Grayling

Michigan citizens were given the opportunity to help materially in the fight against tuberculosis in Michigan as they received sheets of double-barred cross Christmas Seals in their mail this week from the Michigan Tuberculosis Asso-

ciation.

Among the first purchasers of the life-saving TB Christmas Seals in Grayling were: Mr. R. F. Neafie, Miss Margrethe Nielsen, Mr. A. J. Joseph, Mr. Carl Richardson, Mr. Melvin K. Nielson, Miss Olga Nielsen, Mr. Robert Strong, Mr. Jack Millikin, Mr. Albert Charron and Au Sable Potato Chip Co.

### Michigan Mirror

(Continued from Front Page)  
annually for years to come. In terms of living standards we should sink to a level not seen by any living person in this country," Dewey concludes. "We have only one choice and that is wisely to aid those who stand with us in the world in the hope that they will rise again as bulwarks of the institution of human freedom."

Senator Vandenberg, chairman of the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, stated at Ann Arbor on November 3 that he fully agreed with General George C. Marshall, secretary of state, who described the "supreme underlying issue" as follows: "Whether or not men are to be left free to organize their existence in accordance with their own desires or whether they are to have their lives arranged and dictated for them by small groups of men who have arrogated to themselves this arbitrary power." Vandenberg said he also agreed with Marshall's conclusion that the alternative risk to economic aid to Europe was "the danger of the actual disappearance of western civilization on which our government and our manner of living are based."

Our present foreign policy, thus championed on a bi-partisan basis, offers risks that are virtually frightening. Should we take these risks? Can we avoid the danger of war regardless of what we choose? Every citizen should weigh the evidence carefully and prayerfully. There is no escape. The hour of decision is again near.

### Local Youth In Boston Aids Young



Thirteen Army enlisted men volunteered for a different sort of a duty recently when they each donated a pint of blood in behalf of 14-year-old Gilbert Taylor of Methuen, Mass., who had splintered his left hip while playing baseball last June.

Taylor was admitted to Massachusetts General Hospital on September 12th, fully three months after the original accident occurred. The long stretch between accident and hospitalization was explained when it was determined that the lad made no mention of his injury to anyone but instead limped around until the pain in his left knee and hip drove him to a doctor.

Seven blood transfusions had already been given to the boy before it became necessary for the hospital to issue a call for blood donors in order to keep more blood on hand for him. The young fellow's mother decided to appeal to the Army and with a space of 15 minutes 13 soldiers had responded to her urgent plea.

The donors included:  
Left to right, Sgt. George Blake, Cambridge, Mass.; T/4 Robert D. Zimmerman, Bellevue, Pa.; T/4 Leonard H. Swisher, Staunton, Va.; T/4 Howard J. Grisham, Bellevue, Pa.; Cpl. George F. Crutchfield, Baltimore, Md.; Pfc. Donald E. Gebhard, Erlanger, Ky.; Cpl. Emory J. Craft, Grayling, Mich.; T/4 Franklin W. Schraer, Newport, Ky.; Pfc. William P. Ross, Altoona, Pa.; T/4 Tarsan Deel, Prazer, Va.; Pfc. Donald E. Miller, Pufelski, Va.; Pfc. Orville G. Thompson, Detroit, Mich., Mich., and Cpl. Daniel J. Fallon, Dorchester, Massachusetts.

### TRAGIC END OF A GENIUS

Life was a nightmare for the government research expert who possessed the war's top scientific secrets. Be sure to read the grim, heretofore untold story of a startling real life mystery, in The American Weekly, famous magazine with this Sunday's (December 7) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

### 'Camp Arrowhead'

The deer season opened with every cabin filled.

Two deer were brought into camp Saturday and one Sunday. Hyrum Atwell of Pontiac was compelled to return to his home Sunday on account of illness.

William Bromwell hunted here over the week end. He is employed in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kircher and Mr. and Mrs. John Kircher with friend are at their cabin on the Manistee.

Mr. and Mrs. Phane Hinderhot of Grand Rapids called on their grandmother Saturday evening.

A bear was shot near Riverview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bromwell arrived home from Poquonock Bridge, Connecticut, Monday on a 20 day leave. He got his buck Wednesday morning about 8 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman of Alpena were down for the first week of hunting season.

Mr. Don Plomondon of Lake Leelanau called on the Bromwells Thursday.

A party of hunters occupy the cottage "Northland". Mr. Harry Edwards was lucky enough to kill a buck and a red fox.

A guest of camp became lost Sunday afternoon, and was found

after he had walked about 6 miles in the wrong direction in the Portage Swamp.



### SCHEDULE OF MASSES, ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Divine Worship: 11:00 A. M.

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6:45 P. M.—Young People.  
7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.  
Mid-week Services

Thursday—  
7:30 P. M.—Prayer and Every-body's Bible Class.

### FREDERIC BIBLE CHURCH

Pastor—Rev. Ray Van Duiwendyk  
9:30 A. M.—Sunday School.  
10:30 A. M.—Church Services.  
7:30 P. M.—Evening Services.  
7:30 P. M., Wednesday—Prayer Meeting.  
Services at Excelsior Church, Sunday at 11:30 A. M.

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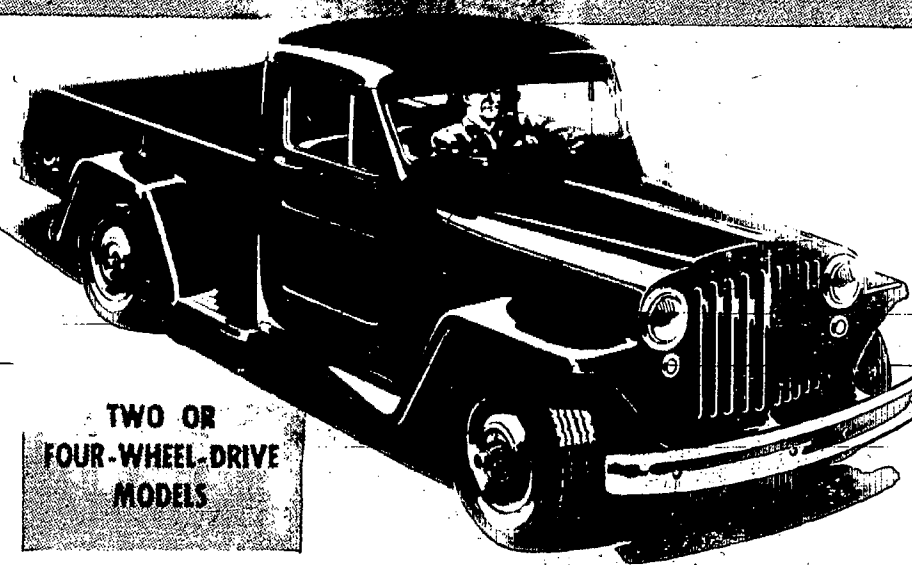
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### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

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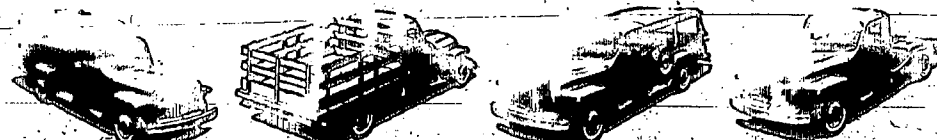
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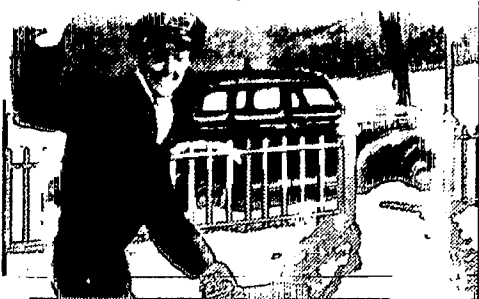
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Marry Young?  
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When Jeb Crowell's daughter, Sue, married nineteen-year-old "Slim" Blake, a lot of folks (especially older ones) began to shake their heads. Young marriages! Tut, tut!

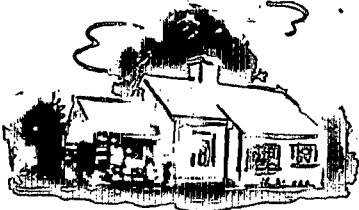
So I looked up some figures. It's true, young American girls and boys marry younger than in other countries. And where do you suppose they had the least chance? I won't name it, but maybe you've guessed. One of those countries that before the war suppressed all individual freedom and tolerance.

That's why I'm not worried about our younger married couples. They were raised in a country that respects one another's right—a country of tolerance and temperance (a lot of bridegrooms are ex-G.I.'s, and it looked to me like their favorite beverage was beer!).

From where I sit, it isn't when you marry that's important. It's the all-important spirit of tolerance and understanding that you bring to marriage.

Joe Marsh

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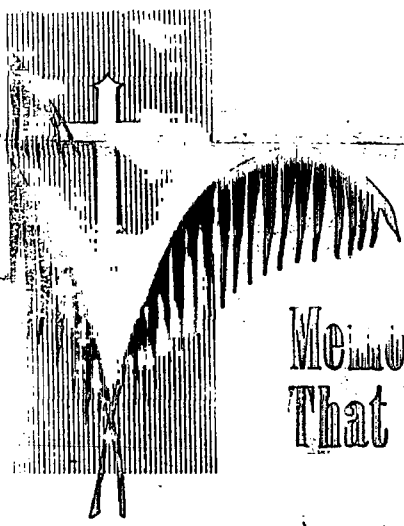
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Above are pictured Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Welsh shortly after they exchanged their wedding vows at the Michelson Memorial Church. Rev. R. C. Puffer solemnized the service before 125 guests. The bride before her marriage was Anne E. Bidvia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bidvia of this city. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh of Lake Margrethe.

### Roundup Of Winter Events

(Editor's Note: Here is a complete roundup of winter sports events and facilities in the Eastern and Central Michigan area.)

Ralph Nuttall, president of the Eastern Michigan Winter Sports Council, representing fourteen communities interested in winter sports, announced that the winter sports area represented by the council will accommodate an estimated 173 more snow fans than last year, which drew an estimated attendance of 240,000. He also stated that there are several new and enlarger facilities, particularly in skiing, plus a complete catalog of winter festivals and carnivals.

For example, one of the brand new ski developments is at Pioneer Hill Sports Park, three miles from Roscommon on Higgins Lake. A new club house, log construction, will have 6 rooms, including a ballroom, restaurant and lounges. The part is located at the top of a series of hills and covers 150 acres overlooking Higgins Lake. This year they will have a 1,000 foot ski tow and toboggan slide in operation, plus a number of ski runs and expect to have a full time professional instructor.

Alpena will have their traditional wild-cat hunt, sponsored by the Alpena Sportsmen's Club on January 10 and 11. As a new feature, on January 17 and 18 the Junior Chamber of Commerce will promote an ice fishing perch festival, climaxed with a festival dance on January 17 and the selection of a queen. The balance of the week will consist of local skating contests and on the 24th and 25th of January one of the big winter events is coming to Alpena when the North American Speed Skating Championship will be held there, sponsored by the A. S. U., and the Michigan Skating Association. During the last two weekends of January, inter-scholastic skating events will be held. Alpena is planning on a new ski area with a new ski tow near Lachine, a few miles west of the town.

West Branch, this year, has enlarged their skiing facilities considerably at the Ogemaw Hills Ski Park with two new tows, skiing areas for beginners, intermediate and advanced skiers and a slalom course. They hope to have one of the finest ski areas in Michigan. In addition, a new enlarged skating rink is under construction and will be ready in time for public use, plus bobcat hunts scheduled later in the winter. The Ogemaw Hills Winter Sports Queen will be selected January 10 and

the coronation ceremony held February 21. Also on February 21 will be an open ski meet.

Lewiston, in Montmorency County features an entirely new skiing area this year, with a new ski tow in operation and at least 5 ski runs, plus a skating rink. Their bobcat hunt is scheduled for December 13 and January 3, sponsored by the Lewiston Sportsmen's League. Winter sports activities will start January 17 at the Queen's Electoral Ball. On January 30, 31 and February 1 will be the winter carnival. The Coronation Ball will be held January 31.

Silver Valley, in the heart of the Huron National Forest, is planning a full schedule of winter activities. On January 10 they will select the Tawas Winter Queen. On January 24 the Silver Valley Queen will be selected and their big winter carnival is scheduled for February 6-7-8 plus the Carnival Ball on February 28. In addition to their festivities they offer ice skating, tobogganing, and the winter sports committee are planning on enlarging skiing facilities this year with two ski tows and a toboggan haul-up tow.

This year the Grayling Winter Sports Park is being maintained and operated by the Grayling Sportsmen's Club and will be promoted by the Grayling Chamber of Commerce. It was formerly operated by the Conservation Department. This development will again feature six, steel walled 3,100 feet toboggan run, excellent ski tows and skating rinks. The Grayling Winter Carnival will be held February 14 and 14.

Grayling is again planning on a public skating rink in town, plus the announcement that the Otsego Ski Club (private) has considerably enlarged their skiing and housing facilities.

Skyline, located between Roscommon and Grayling on US-27

has improved terrain for skiers. New ski tows and downhill courses will take care of an estimated 800 skiers per hour.

The Bay County Recreation Commission announced that the Speed Skating races will be held January 4 in Bay City and the crowning of the Snow Queen and the Ball will be held January 19.

Hubbard Lake is again planning an informal program featuring tobogganing and skiing facilities, ice fishing, ice skating, plus their usual winter hunting, plus their winter sports developments at Harrison and possibly at Clare, Michigan.

### Letters To The Editor

November 28, 1947.  
Crawford County Avalanche,  
Grayling, Mich.

The crew of the Steamer Albert E. Heekin enjoyed their Thanksgiving dinner on the way up the St. Clair River. And with a word of thanks from some officers and Chief Fireman Lefty Johnson.

As I made a statement some time ago of the sailors living on the best in the land, I here enclose menu of just one of our many dinners.

Thanks to the editor.  
Thanksgiving Day Menu  
Steamer Albert E. Heekin  
Oyster Cocktail, Fruit Cocktail, Cream of Tomato Soup, Tomato and Head Lettuce, French Dressing, Roast Tom Turkey, Fried Chicken, Roast Long Island Duck, Oyster Stuffing, Corn Fritters, Orange Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes, Candied Sweet, Creamed Carrots and Peas, Relish, Cranberry Jelly, Assorted Hard Rolls, Mince Pie, Apple Pie, Pumpkin Pie, Light Fruit Cake, Ice Cream, Dark Fruit Cake, Plum Pudding, Fig Pudding, Coffee, Buttermilk, Milk, Port, Sherry, Claret, Candy, Cigars, Mixed and Cigarettes.

Yours Lefty and Crew.  
Edward Jungman of Frederic has an order in with William Leng for a new Dodge on his arrival home about the 15th of December.  
Yours, Lefty.

### Council Proceedings

November 28, 1947.  
Special meeting.  
Meeting called to order by Mayor Hayes.

Councilmen present: Gothro, Burke, Roberts, Hayes, Tufts, Attorney Moore.  
Absent: None.

Discussion on driveway leading from Cedar Street to Ingham Street near US-27 Bridge. It is the opinion of the City Attorney that this driveway should either be made into a City street or that such driveway be closed to public travel, as a hazard to public travel, or until such time as sufficient land can be obtained to make said driveway into a City Street.

Moved by Tufts, supported by Burke, that the drive way connecting Ingham Street and Cedar Street be closed, inasmuch as it is not feasible to make such driveway into a street safe for public travel.

Yea: Tufts, Burke, Hayes, Roberts, Gothro.  
Nay: None.

Moved and supported that meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

George A. Granger,  
City Clerk.

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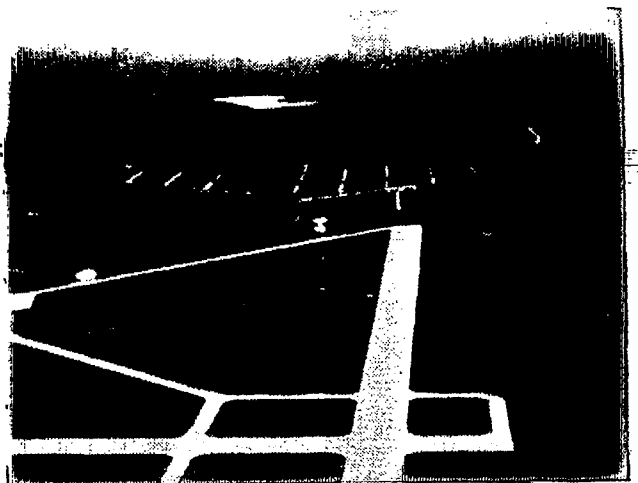
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The above view of Grayling and the expansive airport is reproduced here to give people some idea of what they may expect to see when they take a hop with us. In the background, school section Lake can be discerned as well as the river in various spots. Come on out and see this part of Michigan in the glory of its winter covering.

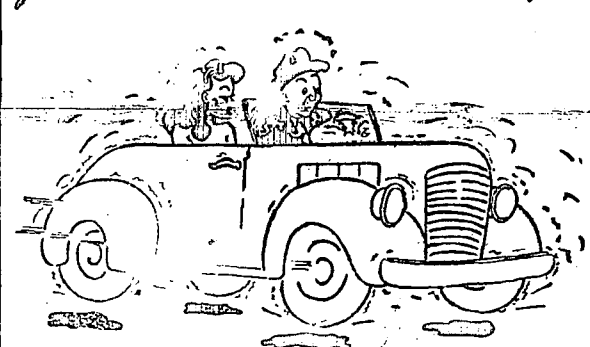
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## LEGAL NOTICES

## STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Probate Court of Crawford,  
for the County of Crawford,  
At a session of said Court, held  
at the Probate Office in the City  
of Grayling, in said County, on  
the 12th day of November, 1947.

Present, Honorable Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of  
Franklin B. Williams, deceased.

It appearing to this Court that  
the time for presentation of the  
claims against said estate should  
be limited and that a time and  
place be appointed to receive, examine  
and adjust all claims and  
demands against said deceased by  
and before said Court.

It is Ordered, that all of the  
creditors of said deceased are  
required to present their claims to  
said Court at said Probate Office  
on or before the 20th day of January,  
1948, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon,  
said time and place being  
hereby appointed for the examination  
and adjustment of all claims  
and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, that public  
notice thereof be given by publication  
of a copy of this order,  
once each week for three consecutive  
weeks, previous to said day of  
hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche,  
a newspaper printed and  
circulated in said County.

A true copy.  
Ray F. Clement,  
Judge of Probate.  
Ray F. Clement,  
Judge of Probate.  
20-27-4-11

## NOTICE OF SALE

\$82,000.00 City of Grayling, Mich.,  
Various Improvement General  
Obligation Bonds

Sealed bids for the purchase of  
Various Improvement General Obligation  
Bonds of the City of  
Grayling, Michigan, of the face  
amount of Eighty-two Thousand  
Dollars (\$82,000.00) will be received  
by the Clerk of the City of  
Grayling at the City office in said  
City until December 12, 1947, at  
8 o'clock P. M., Eastern Standard  
Time, at which time and place they  
will be opened and considered by  
the Council of said City.

Said bonds shall be dated January  
1, 1948 and shall mature  
serially without option of prior  
payment as follows: \$2,000.00 on  
January 1st each year 1950 to 1959  
inclusive, \$3,000.00 on January 1st  
in each year 1960 to 1973 inclusive,  
and \$4,000.00 on January 1st in  
each year 1974 to 1978 inclusive;  
they shall be coupon bonds of the  
denomination of \$1,000.00 each,  
and shall bear interest at a rate  
or rates not exceeding 8% per annum,  
expressed in multiples of 1/4  
of 1%, and said interest shall be  
payable on July 1, 1948 and semi-  
annually thereafter on the 1st day  
of January and July in each year.  
Both principal and interest shall  
be payable at the City Office,  
Grayling, Michigan.

The bonds shall be awarded to  
the bidder whose bid produces the  
lowest interest cost to the City of  
Grayling after deducting the premium  
offered, if any. In determining  
the net interest cost, interest  
on premium will not be considered  
as deductible and interest on bonds  
will be computed from January 1,  
1948 to the respective maturity  
dates.

No proposal for less than all of  
said bonds nor for less than par  
will be considered.  
The City of Grayling is authorized  
and required by law to levy upon  
all the taxable property therein,  
such ad valorem taxes as may be  
necessary to pay said  
bonds and interest thereon, without  
limitation as to rate or amount.  
Envelopes containing the bids  
should be plainly marked "Proposal  
for Bonds."

A certified check in the amount  
of 5% of the total par value of the  
bonds drawn upon an incorporated  
bank or trust company and payable  
to the order of the Treasurer of  
the City of Grayling must accompany  
each bid as a guarantee  
of good faith on the part of the  
bidder. No interest shall be allowed  
on the good faith checks.  
Bids shall be conditioned upon  
the unqualified opinion of Mil-

## Northern Lights

**Sadie Hawkins' Party**  
Friday evening, November 21,  
161 young folks paid admission to  
the Sophomore "Sadie Hawkins'  
Party." The 10th grade provided  
ice cream cones to go along with  
the Senior pop concession. Several  
pies were auctioned off to the  
highest bidder.

Music was by the Rhythm King  
Trio and the class party was sponsored  
by Mrs. N. Hanson and Miss  
Krause.

**Season Tickets**  
With the opening basketball  
game set for last Friday, student  
season ticket went on sale that  
Monday. Mr. Stripe, ticket manager,  
reported the first day sale  
as being slow but expects things  
to pick up as the game time drew  
near.

**Thanksgiving**  
School was closed Thursday and  
Friday for the annual observance  
of Thanksgiving. Coupled with  
Saturday and Sunday this gave  
the buck hunters the last four  
days of the season to bring in their  
trophy.

The following Sixth Grade children  
of Room 12 had perfect attendance  
during the past six weeks:

Larry Ashton, Marvin Bielski,  
John Grumley, Donna Horning,  
James Klein and Herbert Vogt.

**Band Notes — The Bass Section**

Because it consists mainly of  
large unwieldy horns, the bass  
section is the brunt of many jokes.  
People have the mistaken conception  
that these horns play only the  
simple accompaniments and are  
used merely to fill in the melody  
carried by the more glamorous instruments  
such as the cornets,  
clarinets and saxophones. Quite

ler, Canfield, Paddock & Stone, of  
Detroit, Michigan, approving the  
legality of the bonds. The cost of  
such opinion shall be paid by the  
City of Grayling. The City shall  
pay the cost of printing the bonds.

The right is reserved to reject  
any and all bids.

City of Grayling Michigan,  
By George A. Granger,  
City Clerk.

27-4

Sealed bids will be accepted by  
Feldhauser School for the sale of a  
24-passenger GMC school bus.  
Mail bids to A. J. Wakeley, Star  
Route, Grayling. 4-11

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

Order of the Conservation Commission  
Regulating Fishing in  
Designated Trout Lakes

The Director of Conservation,  
having made a thorough investigation  
of fishing conditions in trout  
lakes, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation  
Commission by authority of Act  
230, P. A., 1925, hereby orders that  
for a period of five years from  
January 1, 1948, it shall be unlawful  
for any person to take or attempt  
to take more than a total of  
10 trout in any one day from the  
waters of any designated trout  
lake, but in any case not more  
than 10 pounds and 1 fish.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published  
this sixth day of October,  
1947.

Donald B. McLouth,  
Chairman.

Wayland Osgood,  
Secretary.

Countersigned:  
P. J. Hoffmaster,  
Director of Conservation. 4-11-18

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

**Horizontal**

- Supremely complacent
- Chinese delegate to Security Council
- Magnificence
- Intense
- Container
- Source of medicinal oil
- Crude metal
- German philosopher
- The self
- Bone
- Great Italian
- actress
- Provided
- French conjunction
- To visit
- Intusively
- Girl's name
- Musical direction
- Lair
- Iranian amb. to U. S.
- Ancient Grecian country
- Rower
- Arabian garments
- Archaic; old times
- game at marbles
- Article in a party's platform
- Laborer under the feudal system
- Lure
- Symbol for tantulum
- Greek "M"
- Golf stroke
- To exist
- Snake allied to the adder
- So. American republic
- Sword
- Louis XVIII's ambassador to London and Berlin
- Colloquial: a printer
- Worm
- He attacked the Russian fleet at Port Arthur

**Vertical**

- Exclamation used to frighten fowls
- Special U. S. envoy to China
- Shoshonean
- Earth god's
- Chivalrous enterprise
- To solicit earnestly
- Numeral
- River in Italy
- Poem
- He gave the Pacific its name
- Conspiracy
- 1943 tennis champion
- legal claim
- Customary fear
- Note of scale
- Sour substances
- By means of
- Moroccan capital

**Selection in Next Issue.**

**No. 7**

44 — IX created the 1st American cardinal

45 World War II ace

46 Root of the taro

48 Soft food

50 "Scots, what bleed" — Wallace

51 — Miguel, largest of the Azores

53 Toward

64 Neuter pronoun

Answer to Puzzle Number 6

RAE HIAH RAP  
ADE ACTIR OPE  
MORACR JABBER  
AIE ARCTROT  
ROE PPARCTROT  
ARDEFI OTER  
FINUEFEWEESA  
RUMCFEESE  
RUIT SOL DOLT  
FEEFSOU  
RADDLETHERRY  
ICE INDIA OOO  
PEW STING RNU  
Curtis 12-47

to the contrary, the bass instruments, which include the basses or Sousaphones, baritones and trombones, play a lot of melody, energetic solos and the beautiful counter melody which is so characteristic of them.

One of the band's strongest and most experienced players is Jack Richardson, who has played the bass for better than eight years. The band is extremely fortunate in having such a strong bass player, for Jack has helped the progress of the band a great deal. The baritone players are Geneva Avery and Ruth Decker, and the trombonists are Dick Owen and Lee Nolan.

Two recent beginners on bass instruments are Roger Kessler, a Sixth Grader, who shows great promise on the Sousaphone, and Warren Hatfield, a Seventh Grader, who has had just a few lessons on the baritone and already has made encouraging progress. Warren will step into the band next fall to replace Geneva Avery a Senior this year. Roger should enter the band sometime this year and will be a welcome addition to the bass section.

## Girl Scout News

Troop No. 6 was called to order by Mrs. Gust, Wednesday night.

The girls turned in order for the cards they have sold and Dorothy Corwin gave a report on the candy sale, proceeds from cards and candy sale go towards the girls' troop flag and American flag.

The girls decided on a rag drive as their first project to raise money for their uniforms.

Three more girls, Marylyn Milliken, Margrethe LaGrow and Sally Sherman received their tenderfoot badge.

**Honey Content**

Honey contains mineral elements, vitamins, enzymes, pigments, volatile oils, aromatic bodies and sugar.

## SHORT STORY

**An Orchid For Mariamne**

By

LILLACE MITCHELL

MARIAMNE clasped her hands tightly beneath the oiled silk shampoo apron. It was useless to get Wally's telegram out of her bag again. She already had memorized it.

Wally was passing through Chicago on his way to a new job in Hawaii. That was all Mariamne needed to know.

Every penny she had in the world went into this sudden beautification.

Every cent she had in the world except Grandmother's twenty dollar bill. She couldn't break

into that. Grandmother had sealed it in an old envelope and told her:

"Emergency only! Mind, now! It's never to be spent on anything unless you're right down to hardpan. Nothing less than emergency!"

Wally almost kissed the heart out of her in the station. Then, "You're

looking swell, Mariamne. How's the job?"

"Oh—grand," she lied. "Forty a week only—but they promise me a raise pretty soon."

They were walking now, shoulder to shoulder, along the ramp.

"And your new job, Wally," she was asking him, "Tell me about it."

"Not much to tell," he replied.

"Manager of a sugar plantation. Five thousand a year and maintenance. They let me out of the old job Thursday and I clicked with this Friday."

HE HAD stopped before a florist's window. Wally always admitted he couldn't pass a florist's window. In New York every time they passed a florist shop, Wally insisted on stopping in to buy her a single orchid.

"Gardenias are just as nice—and so fragrant," Mariamne always told him.

"Say, you must take me for a piker! An orchid for Mariamne, nothing less, woman!"

Now he stopped, true to form, staring in the window. There was a display of orchids with the price marked \$1.75. And a box lined with creamy gardenias marked, too. Special 25 cents each.

"Come on," he said. "We'll have to have a flower, honey."

Inside he drew a twenty-five cent piece out of his pocket and flung it on the counter. "A gardenia for the lady," he said. "A fresh one!"

The clerk selected a very fresh one. "Twenty-six cents, please. Penny sales tax."

Wally flushed. He patted his pockets. "—er—I—Mariamne, honey—have you a penny change? 1—1—"

Mariamne made a pretense of opening her purse. She knew there was no penny there. But it was an emergency.

er's old



"Oh—grand," she lied. "Forty a week only—but they promise me a raise pretty soon."

"I'll need change, anyhow," she said to the clerk.

OUTSIDE on the boulevard again, Wally was silent, red-faced.

"C'mon, Wally, tell Mamma—all," said Mariamne quietly. "You haven't a job."

"That's right—you're right!" he exploded. "But I did have. Got it Friday like I told you, honey, but an hour later they got a radiogram that the plantation had been flooded! No job!"

"And that quarter was your last cent. And you'd spend it on—me." Tears were in her eyes.

"Yes, just a cheap skate—that's me," he admitted. "Orchid for Mariamne, I always said. But I got down to a gardenia!"

"A liar," she said accusingly. "We're both liars. Me, I have a job, yes. Fourteen dollars—not forty—a week. Piling. And I've got nineteen dollars and ninety-nine cents, Wally. It'll buy the license."

"What license?" he asked.

"Marriage license, darling," she said gently.

"You mean you'd marry me—and me with no job?"

"Would I? You mean will I—and—thank you, sir, yes. What's the matter?"

"There's another florist shop," he said huskily. "This is a moment that calls for an orchid, darling. Gimme some money for it."

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## Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Walbridge have left to spend the winter at their farm in Dundee, Mich. Mr. Walbridge got his deer the first day as did his hunting companion, Richard West.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chorman of Wyandotte spent the hunting season at their camp Chester L. Each got a buck.

Donna Lee Morency celebrated her eleventh birthday on November 21st and had a number of her friends in to share the fun.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McVay and daughter, Grace, of Jackson, spent three weeks at their camp in Deward for the deer hunting. Mr. McVay bagged his deer and the ladies were still trying at this writing.

Shoes soon get dull looking under arctics or galoshes. Have yours refinished at Bills, 50c.

Miss Faith Nolan was home from Midland to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Howard Nolan, and brother, Lee. I. R. Brown of Saginaw was a hunting guest of the Alfred Sorenson family for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Brown of Port Huron were week end visitors in Grayling.

Mrs. Helen Routier left for her home in Detroit, Saturday, after spending Thanksgiving with her sister, Miss Margrethe Bauman.

See the new fully automatic Bendix Washing Machine at B-C-D Equipment Co., Inc., "on the corner."

Miss Barbara Ann Borchers was home from Mt. Pleasant to spend Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, the Ernest Borchers.

Alfred Hanson spent Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, the Carl Hansons, home from Michigan State.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Litcke and children spent the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives in Grayling and Gaylord.

Louis Smith was home to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, the Stanley Smiths.

Mrs. George Daniels and children of Alpena drove up on Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. Frank May, and sister, Miss Frances.

Mrs. Leroy Harrod of DeWitt, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Welch, and sister and family, the Harold Hills.

Rosa Bishaw was home from Mt. Pleasant to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, the Fred Bishaws.

Mrs. Fred Catlin of Toledo, Ohio, spent Thanksgiving week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood and son, Ron, of Midland spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Failing in Beaver Creek. They were also up for the first of deer hunting and Ron got his buck opening day.

Charles Meisel changed his plans and left for Detroit Sunday, so won't be here to buy furs as he had planned at first. He said to wish his friends a happy holiday season.

Dick Pentz, who attends business college in Bay City spent the holiday at his home here.

Iris Madsen of C. M. C. E., Mt. Pleasant, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Madsen.

Miss Emily Giegling was home from Michigan State to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, the Emil Giegings.

Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Mrs. Ella Wilcox and daughter, Nancy, arrived home from Detroit on Sunday. They were joined in Detroit by Mr. and Mrs. Dick Snyder and daughter, Peggy.

Army Surplus arctics, cloth or rubber tops, sizes 9-10-11, \$1.50 to \$3.50, at Bill's, Phone 3541.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denman and infant daughter, Sandra of Owosso, spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Grace Markby, and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold John. While here they visited Miss Rosalie Markby at the Sanatorium at Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Tucker of Battle Creek were guests of Mrs. E. R. Pentz for the Thanksgiving week end. She accompanied them to Battle Creek for a few days.

Miss Caroline Nelson of the U. of M., Ann Arbor, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, the A. J. Nelsons.

Miss Gloria Feldhauser was home from Mt. Pleasant to spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

Miss Billyann Clippert was home from M. S. C., East Lansing, to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert. Alan Stevenson was here also from the U. of M.

Bob Johnson, Mt. Pleasant spent Thanksgiving with his father C. E. Johnson.

John Ward, Perry Wells, Aubrey

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Blaine and Alfred Borchers each got their buck this season.

Both Harold Hatfield, Sr., and Harold, Jr., were among the local hunters to bag their deer this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Litchfield and Mr. and Mrs. A. Bueltman and family of Detroit spent Thanksgiving at the Litchfield cottage. They returned to Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lewis of Detroit spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Flower returning home on Sunday.

## Michelson Memorial Church School Notes

Attendance awards for the month of November were distributed in the primary department to Carmen Madsen in the pre-school class; Maryda Stillwagon, Kay Stephan and Christine Lutz in the First Grade; Judy Larson, and Pauline Lutz in the Second Grade; and to Nancy Ann Reava in the Third Grade. In the secondary department the Honor Banner went to the Ninth Grade for 100% attendance, after remaining with the Sixth for three weeks. Throughout the school, attendance was more than 10% above the average for the rest of the month.

The Sixth Grade attended the church service, accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. Jappe Smith. Next week, the Seventh will attend with Mrs. Herbert McDonnell.

The regular monthly staff meeting was scheduled for Wednesday evening, at which time plans for the Christmas program were to be completed. The program will be held in the church Sunday evening, December 21.

## AUXILIARY NEWS

Art Sidman was awarded the gun by the American Legion Auxiliary. He is now the proud possessor of a Winchester 12 gauge, model 12 shotgun.

Results of the sale fulfilled the hopes of Helen Jan Kovlack, chairman of the gun committee and her assistants: Boots, Baleh and Mae Slesky and also all members who sold tickets.

Money from this sale will be used to purchase unit flags and all members of the auxiliary wish to thank everyone who helped to make this sale such a huge success.

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Pork Chops, per lb.	65c
Sliced Smoked Ham, Saturday only per lb.	70c
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1:00 P. M.

Three and Four year olds and Kindergarten  
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2:15 P. M.

First, Second and Third Grade Pupils from City of Grayling

3:30 P. M.

All three and four year olds, Kindergarten, First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Grade Pupils from Crawford County outside City of Grayling.

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## Contest Winners

(Continued from front page.)  
ing with it. This fast, cold bath

at a little after two o'clock in the morning, rather stimulated me, especially with the wet clothes clinging to me. To keep warm, I set a fast pace, and forced my

## H. G. JARMIN

## General Insurance

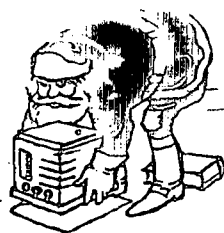
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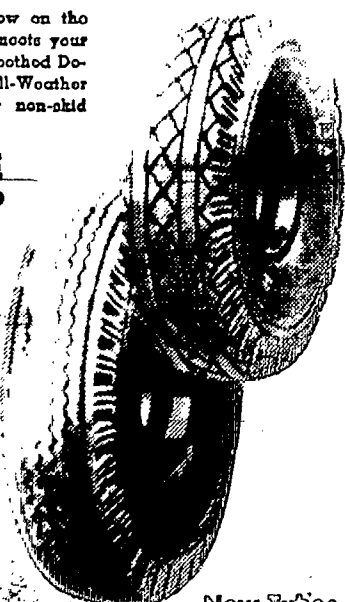
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partner to keep up with me. While on the way down we stopped at a spring and while drinking and filling our canteens, five canoes passed us. By dint of hard paddling, we finally overhauled them, one by one, but the fog that was now rolling in slowed us down a bit, as it did the rest. By using our portage experience, we again got a good jump on getting over to the other side. From that point on it was more or less tedious paddling, as there was little current to aid us, and to make any headway, it was necessary really to lean into the paddles. I remember the dawn breaking slowly while we cruised into the next backwaters. Now that we could see a little more clearly, we picked up our pace and proceeded to the next dam.

My partner's hands were getting rather blistered now as he had been careless and got them wet and soft causing them to blister easily. These blisters were a rather sad experience for him as they bothered him all the way down to the finish. My only physical trouble was an old muscle ailment that hit me in my shoulder. The rest was merely a tedious journey over dead water to the sixth dam, passing several canoes during the course of travel. Arriving at the last dam we learned that we were seven place and we might as well take it easy the rest of the way down. The next canoe being too far ahead, for us to overtake.

Deciding now that we might as well enjoy the trip, we relaxed and paddled slowly downstream, as there was now a current to aid us the rest of the way down to the finish. On the way down river we met an official's canoe where we stopped for a moment to eat some of their generously offered lunch and a drink of cool, inviting water. Coming around the last bend we noticed a large crowd mulling around the rear of the Welcome Hotel in Oscoda, which surely fitted its name. At last the trip was over. After being treated to a shower and large meal provided by the race committee we were ready for the sack; a just reward for a hard day on the river.

For a summary of my experiences I would say: Take quick energy foods; carry an extra paddle and patching equipment along; take salt tablets; if you have a bad muscle take some liniment; check your canoe thoroughly before the trip; look over the backwaters or stretch of river you're going to travel at night if it's not possible to keep your hand dry, wear gloves to avoid blisters; carry a lot of water or drink out of the river (this was our major setback in the race as we stopped five or six times for water); and last but not least, take a good luck charm; you'll need it brother.

I would do it all over again, remembering our experiences, next time maybe, we'd finish better than seventh.

Respectfully yours,  
Jack Snider.  
c/o Y. M. C. A.,  
Grand Rapids, Mich

I will be at the Town Hall to collect taxes beginning Wednesday, December 10 and every Wednesday and Saturday thereafter between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. January 10. John Stephan, Grayling Township Treasurer.

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## Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Koerper, Mrs. Wm. Stroppe and Mrs. Elmer Bird-sall had Thanksgiving dinner at Higgins Lake at Clancy's.

Mrs. Signe Randolph spent several days in Cadillac, the guest of her daughter and family, and returned home Sunday.

Maurice Dore left for the East to be gone several weeks on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Harvey and daughter, Sandra, of Flint visited at the A. L. Roberts home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Garrison and two children of Hemlock were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLeod.

Mrs. Joseph Casper spent a few days in Detroit visiting her daughter and other friends.

Miss Gwen Jean Ahman of Saginaw spent Thanksgiving and the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgeon. Guests for a week were Mr. and Mrs. Mac Illvain and daughter of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Wirtman and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lauri spent Thanksgiving with friends in Johannesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gardner of Detroit spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley and Mrs. Gardner remained to spend a week.

Robert Bensinger of Lansing was among the lucky hunters who got a buck.

The E. R. Burns family spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Burns' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald DeForest, in East Jordan.

Dr. J. F. Cook got his deer the first of the season.

Donald Corwin and Jeanette Greenfield of Clinton, Junior Corwin and family of Saginaw, Ben Evisizer and sons' Junior, James and Raymond, of Manchester, Don Toddy of Ypsilanti were week end hunting guests at the Charles Corwin farm.

Lillian Gildner is helping out at the city office a couple of weeks.

The Sam-Hornings have a new baby girl, born Monday at Mercy Hospital.

Deane Marie Herrick underwent an appendectomy Monday at Mercy Hospital.

Tom Wells got his deer. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caniff have returned from Saginaw, where they were called owing to the serious illness of her brother.

Harold Wyckoff of Roscommon paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$8 in Justice Emil Giesling's court Tuesday. The charge was made under the Horton Trespass Act.

We have a supply of new Revlon Lastron polish and lipstick, in various shades. Also Revlon Cinderella Pumpkin polish and lipstick Christmas sets. Tiny's.

**SOUTH SIDE NEWS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Campbell of Comins, Mich., spent one day last week visiting Rev. Davis.

Earl Keely of Saginaw spent the hunting season visiting relatives, and also hunted.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cunningham of Pontiac and Wilfred Bissel and a couple of friends of Millington spent a few days last week visiting at the Olla Cooper home.

William Cooper returned to Millington with Wilfred for a visit.

Rev. Davis and cousin, Mrs. Mina Solbert spent last week visiting Rev. Davis' daughter, Mrs. Vivian Campbell in Comins. They returned home Friday.

Kenneth Lazorowicz is confined to his home on account of illness.

Mrs. John Yuill of Gaylord visited her sister, Mrs. Joseph Gildner on Tuesday.

Mrs. Phil Faustman has returned to Flint after spending some time at the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert Schreiber. Mrs. Faustman is the former Connie Confer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Confer, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Bigham of Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Ryman of Detroit visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bigham.

**MAPLE FOREST**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owen, Jr., announce the arrival of a son, John Charles, at Mercy Hospital, December 1.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mattison of

Evanston, Ill., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owen, Sr.

The T. N. T. (Teens and Twenties) club are sponsoring a Pie Social and dance Saturday night, December 6, at the Town Hall. Music will be furnished by Hattie's Musical Mountaineers. All the ladies bring a pie to be auctioned.

Gloria J. Feldhauser spent the Thanksgiving recess at home with her parents, the Ed Feldhausers.

Vaughn and Dohn Weaver went to Buchanan last week to help their folks celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary.

Victor Parsons of Royal Oak visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Papenfus of Roscommon were week end guests of the Roy Papenfus family.

Don Dobson made a trip to Richmond the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mattison (Jean Owen) of Chicago visited her brother here during the Thanksgiving holiday.

Roy Luscomb of Birmingham and Bernard Feldhauser of Pontiac spent the week end with the Robert Feldhausers.

Ernest Winston has installed insulation in the Town Hall this week.

Don't forget the Pie Social, Saturday night, December 6.

## Girl Scout News

The Girl Scouts of Troop 6 held their meeting last Wednesday evening at the Danebod Hall. The girls discussed going caroling during the Christmas holidays, and their Christmas tree.

Three more of the girls received their tenderfoot pins. They were Delores Sherman, Shirley Rood and Judy Mulzie. More will receive their pins at the next meeting.

## CARD OF THANKS

Wesley Ardel Welch and his family wish to thank all who were responsible for his recovery while confined at Mercy Hospital.

## CARD OF THANKS

The recent bereavement which has visited our home has brought to us a greater appreciation of our friends. Such kindness and neighborly thoughtfulness can never be forgotten.

The family of  
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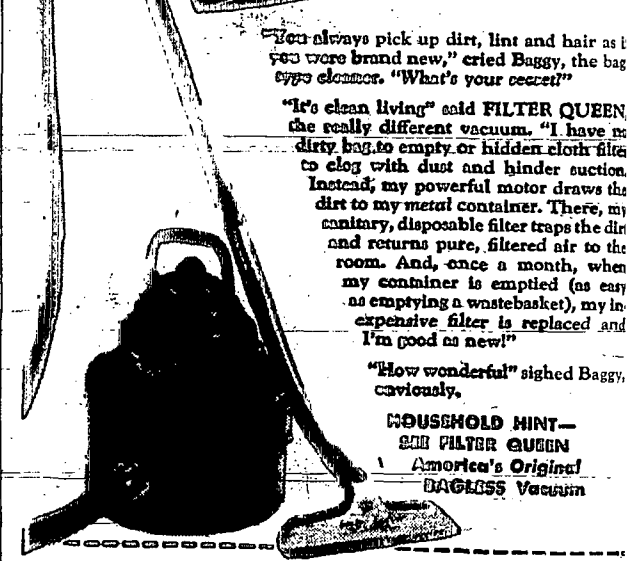
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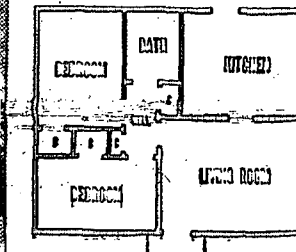
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